

FOR: DCI OBJECTIVES FOR THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY FOR FY 1976

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Provide reliable and timely intelligence, including comprehensive assessments, relative to U.S. policy and negotiating interests and to the National Command Authorities, on the following priority topics:

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FY-75 version

1. Soviet policies and intentions in the political, security and economic fields, to include the dynamics of and factors affecting Soviet leadership and decision making.

TREASURY

1. Soviet policies, ~~and~~ intentions and capabilities in political, security and economic areas.

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2. Current and future Soviet military and political capabilities to exert influence or power outside the USSR, especially with respect to the United States, its forces and its allies, and other key areas such as the Middle East and China .

(2a.) In particular, monitor Soviet compliance with the Strategic Arms limitation agreements, the Limited Test Ban Treaty, the Mutual Balanced Force reduction and similar negotiations.

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2. Current and future Soviet (and East European) military and political capabilities to exert influence or power outside the USSR, especially with respect to the United States, its forces and its allies, and other key areas such as the Middle East, Asia, and particularly China, the Indian Ocean and the Third World.

(2a) Same as for FY-1975.

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2. Current and future Soviet military and political intentions and capabilities to exert (balance same as for FY-1975)

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(2a) Pursue intelligence programs which ensure capability to verify compliance with any international agreements affecting defense interests, to include SAL and MBFR, the Limited Test Ban Treaty, and various cease fire arrangements.

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3. Chinese internal and external policies and capabilities with respect to the United States, its allies, the USSR, Southeast Asia and the Third World.

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3. The status of Chinese domestic leadership and of Chinese internal and external economic, political, and military intentions and capabilities with respect to the United States, its allies, the USSR, the rest of Asia and the Third World.

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3. Chinese internal and external policies, intentions and capabilities with respect to (balance unchanged)

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3. Improve intelligence pertaining to Soviet/PRC strategic missiles capabilities, including R&D, command and control, characteristics and performance data as well as numbers and deployment of launching platforms.

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4. Political and security situations or crises significantly affecting US interests or requiring US action (e.g., Arab-Israeli relations, South and Southeast Asia, the European Community, and Latin America.)

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4. Political, economic and security situations or crises significantly affect US interests or requiring US action (e.g., Arab-Israeli relations, South, Southeast and Northeast Asia, Soviet and Chinese air to North Vietnam, [redacted] intentions of raw materials exporting countries, Latin America and Africa.

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4. Situations or developments significantly affecting U.S. interests (or requiring US action), (e.g. indications of military developments in the Middle East, OPEC decisions damaging to the US or its allies, major activities in narcotics traffic, economic crises in developed countries - list others.)

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4. Provide an improved intelligence production effort to support world-wide current intelligence reporting and in-depth analyses on those specific areas of strategic importance to the US and its allies.

5. Increase emphasis on intelligence programs concerned with the Middle East,

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5. ~~Relevant~~ Information and assessments relevant to US international economic policy decisions and negotiations.

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5. Major international economic developments, particularly those concerning energy, food, financial or monetary developments.

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(as added objective)

Specific political and economic policy objectives of the oil producing states related to oil pricing, use of oil production for political ends and investment policies.